#### 15TH YEAR.

SAN MARCOS, HAYS COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, JULY 12, 1888.

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# TO ADVECTISERS. The Free Press Recegnized by Geo, P. Rowell & Co., as Ahead as an Advertising Medium,

The well known advertising agency of Geo. P. Rowell & Co., of New York City, have Mouth and Facial Neuralgia. issued an annual Newspaper Directory for thirty years or more, and these publications have been generally recognized as authority have been generally recognized as authority us to the matter of newspaper circulation. In the regular issues of the Directory they have included all the newspapers published in the United States and Canada. Quite recently, however, they have issued a con-densed list. It gives only the best newspapers as advertising mediums, and hence is practically better, because more convenient, than their larger Directory. Four-fifths of the newspapers of the United States are practically "counted out" by intelligent advertising who only want to know the heat ortisers, who only want to know the best. Hence the value of the work under notice

The publishers in the preface well say:
It sifts the wheat from the chaff. It di rects the attention of an advertiser toward papers which he should and ought to use, and tends to intercept a portion of that patronage which goes to publications which cost greatly in excess of any power to benefit which they possess. It takes the general

We need scarcely say that on this plan, the Face Passa is given by this back (see page 158) as the advertising inclinan of San Marcos and Hays comely it being the only on on the list. We respectfully rivite the attention of advertisens, both at Lome and broad, to this fact.

### ADVERTISING RATES.

Legal and Transient Advertisements will be charged One Dollar per square for the first insertion, and Fifty Conts per square for each additional insertion. A square is the space of one inch. Fractional squares will be counted as full squares.

Advertisements for three months or more will be charged at the following rates : No. of Squares. | 3 mos | 6 mos | 1 yr.

One-half column... 25 00 | 40 00 | 60 00 One colum....... 40 00 | 65 00 | 100 00 Yearly advertisers allowed the privilege

f quarterly change. Business Cards, one in h or less, one year, Cards in Business Directory, one year,

Local and business notices will be charged n cents per line each insertion. mouts for Schools, Churches and Senevalent Societies, half rates.

Marriage and Obituary Notices, of over ten ios, chargod as advertisements. Calls upon candidates, their replies and their circulars, and all notices of a personal character, (if at all admissible into our colmms), will be charged as advertisements.

that the time for which the subscription was HARDY & CO., North side Plaza paid has expired. All advertisoments and subscriptions due

Any of our friends would do us a special ping-paper, 25c 7 100, at this office. in advance. favor by giving us the names of any pe

ons within their knowledge who would be ikely to subscribe for the FREE PRESS, so hat we may send specimen copies to such Our terms for announcing caudidates are

\$15 for state and district offices, \$5 for county offices, and \$3 for precinct and mudeipal. Jerms, cash.

## GENERAL DIRECTORY.

#### OFFICIAL.

Genghessman - Studiester:
Hon L. W. Moore, of Fayotte County,
SENATOR - 25th District:
Bob. W. H. Burges, of Guadalope Co. Hon Goo. T. McClebec, c. Hays Co. Hon. J. L. Ellison, of Caldwell Co. DISTRICT COURT--278D DISTRICT

Hon. H. Teichmueller, Presiding Judge, LaGrange J. M. Bethany, Attorney, Austin Co. TIMES OF HOLDING COURT.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

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Ed R. Kone, Judge County Court.
Jas, G. Burleson, Dist. and County Clerk.
S. B. McBr.de, County Attorney.
Jas A. Wren Sheriff, J. M. Turner Deputy.
G. S. Cock, Justice of the Peace Pre. No. 1
E. A. Vaughe,
H. C. Hubbs,
J. C. Rowe,
W. W. Slack, C. Rowe, W. Slack, H. Patterson, County Treasurer. Otto Groos, Surveyor.
W. L. Owen Cora'r Precinct No. W. L. Steel, Constable precinct No.

l Nolen. R. Stone,
MES OF NOLDING COUNTY AND PARCING COUNTS—
aty Court for Crimical, Civil and Probate busaty Court for Crimical, Civil and Probate busaty Court for Crimical, Civil and Probate busommissioners'Court-2d Mondays in February,

Mayor—Hammett Hardy.

Such as a Council of the Coun

CHURCHES.

attend.
UNRISTIAN, -Rider
Paster.
Nday School at 9 a. m. A cordial invitation ex-

#### MAILS.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF, TO AND PROMISAN MARCOS POST OFFICE. close at \$100 a. m. and \$10 a. m. and \$15 close at \$100 a. m. and \$100 a. m. Mails from Anatin arrive at 9: 0 s. m. and 8:35

No. m.
Latter, arrives at 12 M., closer at 12:36, P. M.
Latter, arrives at 12 M., closer at 12:36, P. M.
Inversant's arrives and depart Cally,
Filance, six Wimberless Arrives Monday, Wedmaar and Friday, at 7 c. m. Departs Tuesday,
harving and Saharday at 6 A. M.
Latter and Saharday at 6 A. M.

OFFICE BUCKS. eral Delicary from 8 A. H., to 12 F , and from H. A McMFASS, P W. capt, a third cond-marginal by capt, a third-marginal conduction

DR. N. M. NYE

DENTIST.

Office in New Braunfels the last Saturday

### BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

BANKERS.

LOVER NATIONAL BANK OF SAN

HIRST NATIONAL BANK of San Mar cos, Southeast Corner Plaza.

LAWYERS.

S. B. McBRIDE, Att'y and Land Agent.
Office over First National Bank, San B. MoBRIDE, Att'y and Land Agent Marcos.

NOTARY PUBLIC.

H. JULIAN, Judge Wood's New Build-L. ing, Upstairs.

DENTISTS.

DR. J. H. COMBS, Judge Wood's New Building, upstairs.

DRUGGISTS.

RAYNOLDS & DANIEL, North side

DRY GOODS & GROCERIES. T. TALBOT, Next door to First National Bank.

JOHNSON & JOHNSON, Mitchell Building, North side plaza.

DAILEY & BRO., Southwest Corner

ARCHITECT AND BUILDER.

E. S. MACKIN, Near Northeast corner

G ROCERIES.

R. W.LEAVELL, South side Public Plaza.

THOMAS TAYLOR East Side Plaza.

OLD NEWSPAPERS, for wrap-

# FURNITURE.

W. NANCE, Southeast Corner of Pub-

. lie Square.

WATCHMAKERS & JEWELERS. W H. ROBBINS, North side Plaza.

GROCERIES & HARDWARE.

W.M. GIESEN, South side plaza,

MILLINERY

MRS, RICHARDSON, between First National Bank Building and Nance's Farniture Store.

SADDLES AND HARNESS.

R. PORTER, East Side the Square.

Our Clubbing List for 1888. We are prepared to club the FREE PRESS to new or renewing subscribers with the following publications at the rates specified below, if ordered at the same time with our paper. In the first column we give the regular price of each publication singly, in the second the price of the same and the Fars

With the Singly, Free Press. Atlanta Constitution
American Agriculturist
Scientific American
Century Magazine
St. Nicholas
Harper's Young People
Youth's Companion
Atlantic Monthly
Lippincott's Magazine
Kelectic Magazine Peterson's Magazine

Pass together.

bar Any other Paper or Periodib mosth; KRIAR.—Services 200 pastor. Sunday bell most included in the above list, furmool every Rabbath at 9:30 a.m. Prayer Meetcall not included in the above list, furnished at proportionate rates, or or-Pastor. lered separately at publishers' prices,

free of charge and postage prepaid in Fig. Salt. Services the Sanday in each wooth. Sunday school every Sanday.

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(ATHOLIC, services the Sanday in each wooth. etc. Fether smith. Beauty. The many losses caused by failures, robbery of ly necessary to send considerable sums by postal

order, registered letter or draft. The safe arrival of all publications guaranteed.

If after a reasonable time say subscriber fails
receive the publication sent for, notify us by post
and that the error, if any, may be premptly or

# Isaac H. Julian, NOTARY PUBLIC.

SAN MARCOS. . . TEXAS.

Letters of lequiry concerning any matter of builto the EXTAIL GROCERT TRADIC Address girtops or local interest, accompanied by a stamp for
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#### isken at all times with perfect safety. Price, \$1. FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS. J.S. MERRELL DRUG CO., SoleProp., ST. LOUIS. CHRONIC DIARRHOBA,

Can it be Cured? There are a great many persons throughout the country who have chronic diarrhoea, and have been led to believe that it can not be cured. It matters not how many physicians have told you your case was hopeless, nor how many different medicines you have tried, without any permanent benefit, we claim that the disease can be cured, and as evidence of it refer to the following cases:

WYANDOTTE, KAN., June 15, 1887. One of my customers had been troubled for years with chronic diarrhoea. I persuaded him to use a bottle of Cham-berlain's Colle, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, it completely cured him, and he to day can not say enough in praise of it. This case cited is only one of many that have been cured by it here. I can further say that I recommend it all the time, as I know it is as represented, and will do the work. I have been selling it for several years, and have never heard of its failing in a single case, in fact, every one who uses it speaks in the highest praise of its work. Dr. S. F. MATHER, Druggist.

I have cured a most persistant and ggravating case of chronic diarrhoes our councils—Graut, Garfield, Araggravating case of chronic diarrhoes with four or five bottles of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoes Remedy, after the party had used all other preparations in vain. I consider it the best made. W. A. McGonigle, Monona, Clayton Co., Iowa.

Lamber recently been called away from our councils—Grant, Garfield, Arthur, Logan, Conkling—may their memories be faithfully cherished.

We also recall with our greetings and with prayer for his recovery the name of our living hero, whose mem-

I am just recovering from a long spell of sickness, and was given up to die by everyone who saw me. I had been suffering from chronic diarrhoes and had doctored with nearly all the physicians in Clark and Union counties. I laid in bed for three months and seven days, and could not move until I tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It has cured me and I now am in my store attending to and and our own devotiom to human liberty and with that hostility to all forms of despotism and oppositions and our everywhere and and and foreign trade everywhere Diarrhoea Remedy. It has cured me erty and with that hostility to an and I now am in my store attending to my business. I now sell Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy to my customers and tell them it is the greatest medicine ever made. All of the people in America could not now break my faith in your medicine. I made risk my faith in your medicine. I Thayer, Union Co., Iowa.

### ST. PATRICK'S PILLS

Are the most perfect physic in use. They are vigorous but gentle in their covery of home rule in Ireland operation, they cleanse the system, stimulate the liver to a healthy action, person.

For Sale by Raynolds & Daniel.



IS A LINIMENT PERFECTLY FARMLESS AND SHOULD BE USED A BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO.

SEND FOR BOOK TO MOTHERS For sale by all Druggists and Dealers.

FOR ALL DISORDERS OF THE Stomach, Liver and Bowels

STRICTLY VEGETABLE. Cure Constipation, Indigestion, Dyspeptia, Piles, Bick Hesdache, Liver Complaints, Loss of Ap-petite, Biliousness, Nervousness, Jaundice, etc. For Sale by all Druggists. Price, 25 Cents. PACIFIC MANUFACTURING CO.. ST. LOUIS, MC.

CHILLS & FEVER CURED and The ENTIRE SYSTEM MALARIA! KRESS

# Is a sure and speedy Care in the most stabburn cares

is notherland to Hardem tax Month for pur Druggles of Civilta TRIAL! Be sure to ask your Druggles for ERESS FRVER TORIO CO., : ST. 1899S. MO. Maria Same. & Co., Ornellas. Astron.

Baking Powder and Flavoring Extracta ment.

lic authority.

stitution and laws of the United just men.

general disaster to all interests except

in opposing its passage.

revenue by repealing taxes on tobac. of polygamy. tariff laws as will tend to check im. monetize silver. by our own people, the production of postage to one cent per ounce.

Cheaper Whisky and Dearer Clothes.

That's the way the platform goes
Of the new-fangled Republican party!

Dearer blankets, shirts and caps, Dearer drasses, coats and wraps, Dearer stockings, yarn and socks, Dearer binges, nails and locks, Dearer leather, boots and shoes, Dearer coffins and dearers screws, But cheaper whisky, cigars and beer, That's the platform (isn't it queer?) Of the new-fangled Republican party,

Leave unprotected hay and corn,
But tax the plow and the dinner horn!
Let the farmers sell as best they can,
But when they buy tax every man—
Except on whisky, cigars and wine;
For that's the platform (isn't it fine?)
Of the new fangled Republican party.

"Protect" the suffering capitalist, But the wage-earner never once assistl "Protect" the wealthy (that's the plan) But let the poor do the best they can With cheaper whisky and dearer clother For that's the way the platform goes Of the new-fangled Republican party.

#### THE REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

A Wordy, Windy Document The Republicans of the United Stptes, assembled by their delegates in national convention, pause on the the threshold of their proceedings to honor the memory of their first great leader, the immortal champion of liberty and the rights of the people, Abraham Lincoln, and to cover also with wreaths of imperishable remembrance and gratitude the beroic names of our late leaders, who have

American continents. We earnestly hope that we may of Irish birth upon the peaceful re-

aid digestion and purify the blood, to an indissoluble union of states. When you need a good physic try them and to the autonomy reserved to the personal rights and liberties of the citizens in all states and territories in the Union, and especially to the supreme and sovereign right of every lawful citizen, rich or poor, native or foreign born, white or black, to cast one free ballot in public elections and to have that ballot duly counted. We hold a free and honest popular ballot and a just and equal representation of all the people to be the foundation of our republican government, and demand effective legislation to secure the integrity and purity of elecions, which are the foundations of all pub-

We charge that the present adminin Congress owe their existence to a criminal nullification of the con-

States. We are uncompromisingly in favor Europe. We will support the inter-

those of usarer and sheriff. We denounce the Mills bill as de may become so, structive to general business, labor and farming interests of the country, publican representatives in Congress suffered; therefore we pledge the declaration of 1884, to-wit:

We favor the entire repeal of in nation; therefore state or nation, or upon private charity. In the presternal taxes rather than the surrender both combined, should support the ence of an overflowing treasury it

We delare our hostility to intro-duction into this country foreign contract labor and Chinese labor, in the enactment of such legislation and the action of the Democratic and we demand a rigid enforcement as will best secure the rehabilitation house of representatives in refusing of existing laws against it, and fa- of our merchant marine, and we pro-

We declare our opposition to all combinations of capital organized in trusts or otherwise to control arbitrarily the condition of trade among our citizens, and we recommend to Congress and state legislatures, in their respective invisitions are construction of coast fortifications.

Work injustice to labor by lessening the wages of those engaged in preparation of patriotic men of all parties, especially the workingmen, whose prosperity is so seriously threatened by the free trade policy of the present administration.

the territories is based u

We reaffirm our unswerving devo- ulation, material resources, public in- of the Pacific ocean.

serve. al of the Democratic House of Repre- fense against a foreign enemy. sentatives, for partisan purposes, to The name of American applies istration and the Democratic majority favorably consider these bills is a slike to all citizens of the republic, ize this fact, and live in the spirit of

The Republican party pledges it- errand.

used in the arts and for mechanical money, and condemns the efforts of to free institutions which lurk in the taxes. That is what the Democratic

quisite for the wants of the govern- school is a promoter of that intelli- federal uniform shall become the in-

of any part of our protective system free institutions of learning sufficient would be a public scandal to do less

vor such immediate legislation as will exclude such labor from our of a free ship bill, as calculated to work injustice to labor by lessening with enunciated we invite the co-

their respective jurisdictions, such and modern ordnance and other ap legislation as will prevent the execu-tion of all schemes to oppress the the protection of our defense; for Harper's Weekly: No friend of a reduction of the people by undue charges on their harbors and cities; for the payment surplus by moderating the tariff tax supplies or by unjust rates for the of just pensions to our soldiers; for upon the necessaries of life and raw transportation of their products to necessary works of national importance in the improvement of harbors rison unless he feared some grave We approve legislation by Congress and channels of internal, coastwise peril from the success of Cleveland, to prevent alike unjust burdens and foreign commerce; for the enunfair discriminations between states. We reaffirm the policy of appro- of Atlantic, Gulf and Pacific states, 1884, has now disappeared. Mr. priating the public lands of the United States to homesteads for American citizens and settlers, which the Republican party established in 1862 to our various industries, increase sections and settlers. against the persistent opposition of curity to our country, promote trade, the country. General Harrison ap-Democrats in Congress, and which open new and direct markets for our pears in the canvass as the repremain into such magnificent develop-ments; restoration of unearned rail-far better for our country than the road land grants to the public do- Democratic policy of loaning govern- class of articles produced in this

be continued.

We deny that the Democratic party has ever restored one acre to the its cowardice. Having withdrawn leaving it in the pockets of the taxpeople, but declare that by joint action of the Republicans and Democrats, about fifty million acres of un- tration for the removal of foreign earned lands, originally granted for burdens and restrictions upon our

istration with failure to execute laws securing settlers titles to their home and and foreign trade everywhere only to be allowed to live by their steads and with using the appropriat among our neighbors. It has refused tions made for that purpose to harass to charter, sanction or encourage any the other, that they have some divine the innocent settlers with spies and American organization for construct- right to live by the labor of some one prosecutions under the false pretense ing the Nicaraugua canal, a work of else. would risk my life on it doing for others what it has done for me. J. C. Stout, olition of slavery throughout the two Thayer, Union Co., Iowa. of the Monrse doctrine and of our liberty," and you see that this is, in The government by Congress of national influence in South and Cen-be territories is based upon the ne-tral America, and necessary for the in Italy, in Ireland and France, the

We reaffirm our unswerving devo-tion to the national constitution and tion to the national constitution and to an indiscoluble union of states insuse stable local government therein, the people of such territories patriotic treatment of the fisheries turns at last on this one great quesand they will make you feel like a new states under the constitution, to the should be permitted, as a right in- question and its pusilanimous surherited, to form for themselves con-render of essential privileges to turbed to live by the fruits of his stitutions and state governments and which our fishing vessels are enbe admitted into the Union. Pend- titled in Canadian ports under the ing preparations for statehood all of- provisions of the treaty of 1818, the ficers thereof should be selected from reciprocal maritime legislation of bona fide residents and citizens of 1830 and the comity of nations, and the territory wherin they are to which Canadian fishing vessels receive in ports of the United States.

South Dakota should of right be We condemn the policy of the immediately admitted as a state in present administration and the Demthe Union under the constitution occatic majority in congress toward framed and adopted by her people, the fisheries as unfriendly and con- itself the party of freedom and the and we heartily endorse the action of spicuously unpatriotic, and as tendthe Republican Senate in twice passing to destroy a national industry ing bills for her admission. The refus- and indispensable resources of de-

willful violation of the sacred Amer - impress upon all the same alike ob- brotherhood, we are all doing somethe suppression of the ballot by can principle of local self-government ligations of obedience to laws. At thing to put an end to war in all its and merits the condemnation of all the same time that citizenship is and forms-international war, social war, must be the panoply and safeguard party and sectarian war. No nation The pending bills in the Senate of him who wears it, and protect can live to itself, or die to itself. Its for acts to enable the people of Wash- him, whother high or low, rich or prosperity and its decay must influof the American system of protection. ington, North Dakota and Montana poor, in all his rights, it should and ence other nations for good or svil. We protest against its destruction as territories to form constitutions and must afford protection at home No nation can be independent of proposed by the president and his establish state governments should and follow and protect him abroad other nations. No body of men in

Europe. We will support the interest of America. We accept the issue and confidently oppeal to the people for their judgment. The protective system must be maintained. Its aban.

The Republican party pledges iterated. The men who abandoned the Republican party in 1884 and continue to adhere to the Democratic party proceed, the rich suffer too. The have deserted not only the cause of contagion of ignorance, of immorality. donment has always been followed by government as states; such of them honest government and sound finance, of disease or crime, passes into every as are now qualified as soon as possi- of the freedom and purity of the bal- part of social life. We are members ble, and the others as soon as they lot, but especially have they deserted of a great body, sharing its joys and the cause of reform in civil service. orrows. - James Freeman Clarke. The political power of the Mormon We will not fail to keep our pledges church in the territories as exercised because they have broken theirs, or and we heartily endorse the consist in the past is a menace to free insti- because their candidate has broken ent and patriotic system of the Re- tutions too dangerous longer to be his. We therefore repeat of our

Republican party to appropriate leg- "Reform of the civil service, auspi- ent high tariff. They want to know We condemn the propositions of islation, asserting the sovereignty of ciously begun under Republican ac- whether the American people are in the Democratic party to place wool the nation in all territories where the ministration, should be completed by favor of the enormous taxation now on the free list. We insist dtuies same is questioned, and in further the further extension of the reform piling up a menacing surplus in the on the ree list. We listed and main- suce of that end to place upon the system as already established by law treasury; whether they are willing to tained so as to furnish full and ade statute books legislation stringent to all grades of the service to which take money out of their pockets quate protection to that industry.

The Republican party would effect the ecclesiastical power and thus all needed reduction of the national all needed reduction all needed reduction all needed reduction all needed reduction all needed reductions are national all needed reductions. revenue by repealing taxes on tobac-co, which are an anuoyance and bur-den to agriculture, and upon spirits of the use of both gold and silver as purposes, and by such revision of the the Democratic administration to de- power of official patronage may be party sent its representatives to St,

wisely and effectively avoided." ports of such articles as are produced We demand a reduction of letter The gratitude of the nation to the unmistakable language, so that waydefenders of the Union cannot be faring men might understand and which gives employment to our labor, and release from import du ties those citizen is sovereign and the official, of congress should conform to the articles of foreign production, except servant—where no power is exercised pledges made by loyal people, and laxuries, the like of which cannot be except by the will of the people, it is be so enlarged and extended as to produced at home, if there shall still important that the sovereign people provide against the possibility that remain a larger revenue than is re should possess intelligence; the free any man who honorably were the gence which is to preserve us a free mate of an alms house or dependent

[Air—When the Calf on the Highway Died, or something to that effect.]

Cheaper whisky and dearer clothes!

at the joint behest of the whisky to afford to every child growing up for those whose valorous services in the land an opportunity of a good common school oducation.

# GEORGE WILLIAM CURTIS SAYS in

main for the use of actual settlers, ment money without interest to pet country. In other words, he is for which was begun under the administration of President Arthur, should The conduct of foreign affairs by instead of 40 per cent., and of a propayers.

Cleveland will receive the entire mugwump vote, and it will be two or three times as large as it was in 1884.

# The Classes Against the Masses

Louisville Times The contest against the representa tives of the privileged classes is only one phase in the eternal conflict beown labor, and those who insist, on

Study in any nation the "story of We earnestly hope that we may cossity only to the end that they may development of trade with our Pacific sum and substance of all the conflicts become states in the Union; there- territory with South America and of all the ages. At one time a nation fore, whenever the conditions of pop- with the islands and further coasts seeks to live by conquest; at another, as civilization advances, it seeks to rion: Shall man be allowed undis-

> own labor? So it is with us to day. The Re publican party, priding itself on the overthrow of black slavery, has established and seeks to maintain a white slavery scarcely less oppressive and destructive, concealing its iniquity under the disguise of protection. That disguise the Democratic party at last tears off. Again it proclaims party of reform.

Living for Others No one liveth to himself, and no one dieth to himself. When we realproposed by the president and his party. They serve the interest of be passed without unnecessary delay. wherever he may be on a lawful society, no industrial or professional class, can be independent of other

#### The Issue of the Hour. Chicago Herald.

What the Democratic party want is a fair and square issue on the pres-Louis for-to formulate that idea in

# A Great Battle

To continually going on in the human speters. The demon of impure blood strives to gain victory over the constitution, to rain health, to drag victims to the grave. A good reliable medicite like Hood's Satsaparilla is the weapon with which to defend one's self, drive the desperate enemy from the field, and re-store peace and boddly health for many pasts. Try this peculiar medicine.